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LB 1142, 1258A

SENATOR LANDIS: And will you accept call in votes during the pendency of that?

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: Yes, yes.

SENATOR LANDIS: All those in favor of call of the house vote aye, those opposed vote no. The Clerk will record.

CLERK: 16 ayes, 0 nays to go under call.

SENATOR LANDIS: We are under call. Please return to your seats.

CLERK: Senator Sieck voting yes. Senator Vickers voting yes.

SENATOR LANDIS: Please check in. The house is under call. Call in votes are being accepted on the advancement of the A bill to 1258.

CLERK: Senator Barrett voting yes.

SENATOR LANDIS: The Clerk will record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 1 nay on the advancement of the A bill, Mr. President.

SENATOR LANDIS: The bill is advanced. We'll proceed to LB 1142 authorizing the tax commissioner to adjust state income tax rates to reflect federal changes. This is a Revenue Committee bill. Senator Johnson, you are up.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 1142 was introduced by the Revenue Committee and signed by its members. (Read.) It was introduced on January 22, referred to the Revenue Committee, advanced to General File. There are Revenue Committee amendments pending.

SENATOR LANDIS: The call is raised. Senator Johnson, for the committee amendments.

SENATOR V. JOHNSON: Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, LB 1142 is...has within it two distinct concepts and I will describe both concepts, and then I'll describe the committee amendments, and then we'll take it from there. LB 1142 is modeled after the law that currently exists in Rhode Island. Rhode Island, Vermont, and Nebraska are three states, the only